

SOCIETY

HOUSEHOLD INTERESTS

WO DANCES OF INTEREST SET FOR THIS EVENING

Society to Attend Benefit at Colonial Theatre for Sheltering Arms Free Hospital.

Mrs. George J. Bull, of Paris, France, who is spending the winter in Richmond, is leaving town to-day for a week's stay with relatives and friends in Philadelphia and New York. Mrs. Bull expects to occupy her apartment at 115 Park Avenue on her return to this city.

At the Woman's Club.

A large audience will go to the Woman's Club this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock to hear Miss Katharine H. Hayes lecture on "Philanthropy." Tea will be served by the hostesses of the afternoon following the lecture.

The Woman's Club has recently purchased a lovely watercolor, "The Bugle," done by the late William Bradford, whose work has been on exhibition for the past several weeks at the Art Club of Richmond. Mr. Shepard's picture will be another interesting addition to the collection of splendid paintings that the Woman's Club already possesses, as adornment of its rooms.

Interesting Functions.

Mrs. Barton Haxall Wise, of 913 Park Avenue, gave a small card party Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in honor of Mrs. A. H. Whitmer, of Washington, who is visiting Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Whitmer, of Washington, at the latter's residence, 115 Park Avenue. There were four tables playing, and additional guests were invited in for ten after the game was concluded.

Mrs. Whitmer, who is a very charming woman, has been much entertained during her stay in Richmond and several other functions of interest have been planned in her honor this week.

Mrs. Barton H. Grundy, of this city, who has been spending sometime at the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, was hostess at a most original dinner in honor of George W. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan B. Brown, of Richmond, and the guests present and the affair was given at the Grundy cottage in Virginia Row. Mrs. Grundy and her daughter, Miss Miriam Grundy, have returned to Richmond from the White Sulphur Springs.

Events of To-Day.

There are to be two dances of interest this evening as well as a charity benefit in which society is deeply interested. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick B. Solting will entertain for Miss Virginia Lynch, of Norfolk, in their home, 112 West Franklin Street, and Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Allen Chambers will give the first of a series of dances for their debutante daughter, Miss Martha Chambers, this evening at 9 o'clock at her residence, 314 Park Avenue. The second dance will be held on December 8.

The boxes and orchestra seats of the Colonial Theatre will be thronged with fashionable gathering of society folk to-night for the performance of "The Bird From Outer Space," which will be rendered by the Grace Scott players for the benefit of the Sheltering Arms Free Hospital. Some of the leading comedians of the city will act as patrons for the affair, and a number of interesting parties will be given.

Miss Adkins Entertains.

Miss Maria Adkins entertained a number of the younger boys and girls at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adkins, 824 Park Avenue, Friday evening. The affair was a dance, and a buffet supper was served at 10 o'clock.

An Interesting Event of the Past Week.

was the entertainment given Friday evening by the Sophomore Class of the John Marshall High School for the juniors. The gymnasium, where the affair was held, was attractively arranged throughout in the colors of the Sophomore Class, red and white, and refreshments were served.

The Louisa Bridge Club met at the Louisa Hotel Friday night with Mrs. K. Barrett as hostess for the evening. A number of out-of-town people were the guests of the club, among them being Mrs. Frank Boxley, of Richmond, and Miss Lois Crank, of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. The prizes were awarded as follows: First prize, a beautiful silver purse, was won by Mrs. F. M. Boxley; the booby was awarded to Mrs. Bruce V. Boxley; the men's first prize was won by W. Worth Smith, Jr., and the men's booby was awarded to James L. West. Refreshments were served at the close of the game.

Those playing were Mesdames D. N. Walker, E. V. Boxley, S. S. Griffith, A. C. Barrett, F. W. Sims, W. W. Smith, Jr., W. J. Crank, K. C. Bibb, J. F. Sargeant, F. M. Boxley, A. T. Gordon, S. H. Flannagan and James L. West. Mesdames Anna Griffith, Lois Crank, Agnes L. West, Elizabeth West, Messrs. J. P. Donnelly, W. W. Smith, Jr., E. M. Gwathmey, Joseph L. Wells, James L. West, J. H. Gwathmey, J. C. Crank, J. F. Sargeant, R. C. Crank and L. S. Pendleton.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Miss Bessie Holland, of Suffolk, arrived in Richmond Saturday to spend some time as the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ray, of Newport News, and Mrs. John Sidney Wiley, of York, are visiting Mrs. Elmer S. McFadden here.

Miss French Patton has returned to Richmond, after spending a few days with friends in Ashland.

Miss Louise Harris, of Spotsylvania County, is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Hugh Denoon, of Gwathmey, is the guest of relatives in Richmond for a brief stay.

William L. Royall, Jr., will come to Richmond from Trenton, N. J., on December 23 to spend a week with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Royall, on West Avenue.

Miss Edwina Herring, who has been attending the dances at V. M. I. in Lexington, has returned to her home at Fredericks Hall.

Miss Lana Tiller, of Richmond, has been visiting the Misses Smith at their home near Bumpass.

Misses Annie and Emma Irby, of Blacksburg, have arrived in Richmond for a visit to friends.

Miss Mary Donnelly, who spent last week with friends in this city, has returned to her home in Louisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Epps, of Blacksburg, have returned to their home, after a short stay in Richmond.

Robert Brander has returned to the city, after a short stay with friends in Louisa.

Misses E. W. Farrar, Rose Farrar, Gwathmey, L. K. Davis and Mrs. F. H. Farrar have returned to Scottsville, after a visit to this city.

F. G. Duvall, who has been in Richmond for a stay of several days, has returned to Louisa.

Mrs. Robert Upshur Brooking, of Washington, is visiting her parents, Colonel and Mrs. W. H. Chapman, of 1317 Stuart Avenue.

Mrs. A. H. Crummond, who has been visiting in this city, has returned to her home in Spotsylvania County.

Mrs. Laura Colley, of Scottsville, is

Fashion's Decree

To-day's Dress Hint with authentic note as to style and fabric.



Velvet, fur and chiffon are combined with rare charm in the development of this costume. The waistcoat blouse is of old rose velvet, under-bodice and cord-shirred tunic are of rose chiffon and the skirt of velvet. A band of chinchilla edges the tunic. To make the dress requires 2 1/4 yards 36-inch velvet, 3 3/4 yards 48-inch chiffon, and 1 yard 36-inch lace.

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spending some time in Richmond as the guest of friends.

Harry W. Andrews, of this city, has been in Norfolk for a stay of several days.

Miss Rose Cox, of Richmond, has gone to Ashland, where she will visit friends for some time.

Miss Elizabeth Brander, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Annie W. Thompson, of Louisa County.

Mrs. Normal Cunningham, of Fredericksburg, is visiting friends in Richmond for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Smith, Jr., of Louisa, motivated to Richmond in their machine recently.

Misses Alice Wherry and Elizabeth Kelly, of Richmond, have been guests of Miss Virginia Potts in Ashland.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS.

The Helping Circle of the King's Daughters will meet this afternoon in the home of Joseph S. Wilson, 308 North Twenty-third Street, at 3:30 o'clock. The State president, Mrs. Clarence G. Burton, will be present and address the meeting. A full attendance is urged.

The Richmond Nurses' Club will meet at the Y. W. C. A. clubroom this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Dr. Plecker will talk on the "Hookworm in Virginia," and all members are urged to attend.

St. John's Circle of the King's Daughters will hold an important meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. J. C. Moore, 2209 East Broad Street.

The Woodland Heights Mothers' Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Wheat, 2920 Spring Hill Street, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. This will be an important meeting, as the mothers will discuss ways and means of getting a school building and playground in Woodland Heights. All mothers are requested to attend this meeting.

Care for Complexion.

BY LILLIAN RUSSELL.

Nature provides a quality of skin for each and every change of climate. With the approach of frost and snow, the skin grows firmer and our cuticle thickens and grows strong. It should not be necessary to wear veils to protect the skin, excepting for motoring in an open car. In that case the wind strikes the face with such force that it is liable to crack the delicate surface of the skin.

Walking and driving in the open air is most beneficial to the skin, and to every portion of the body. Go out into the air dressed properly for a walk; wear sensible shoes, an easy corset, and a wide enough skirt to allow you to step out freely. Bare your face and throat to the elements. Let nature's pure air bathe your skin in her cool embrace, while you walk a few miles.

At first you will become warm, and a red flush will suffuse your face; it will even become blotched for a while, but if you keep on walking all circulation will become regular and your complexion will clear up. You will be surprised at the beautiful texture your skin will take on. Your nose will become whiter, your cheeks rosier and your eyes clearer.

You will need no cosmetic other than a pure nourishing cream at night, and a fine dusting of powder when dressed for the day, just to subdue the shiny surface.

This fresh-air treatment for the complexion is nature's remedy for all skin discomforts and diseases. But Dr. Nature does not expect you to demoralize the inner body while she is curing the outer body. She expects you to eat sparingly of her fruits and vegetables; she forbids all pastries because she has nothing to do with such artificial

things. She would as quickly prescribe a lump of lead as a hot biscuit.

Dr. Nature probably would not forbid one cup of coffee or tea each day, but she would forbid any form of alcoholic drink.

Nature provides cures for all ills if you only give her a chance.

Lillian Russell's Answers.

Blue Eyes: This formula is a good one for removing warts, but be sure you apply it only to the wart and do not get any on the skin around it. For it will burn: Twenty grains salicylic acid, one-eighth ounce alcohol, and one ounce flexible collodion. Mix and apply with a dry brush to the hard surface of the wart daily for three days, then soak in hot water, when a layer of skin will come off. Repeat until the wart has disappeared. Send me a stamped, addressed envelope, and I shall send you directions for removing pimples.

H. D. L.: Don't think of drinking vinegar for reducing flesh. Vinegar is an acid, and will ruin your stomach. The Epson salts, when used externally for reducing flesh, is made into a paste. If you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope, I shall send you instructions for reducing flesh and formula for the Epson salts solution for reducing flesh.

Blonde: If your eyes are blood-shot nearly all the time, I would advise you to consult an oculist in regard to them. Wash your eyes each morning with a good eyewash. There is nothing that will make them a deeper color, but as your eyes become strengthened they will become brighter and will not look so dull and faded. Send me a stamped, addressed envelope and I shall send you formula for eye wash and instructions for removing superfluous hair with peroxide and ammonia.

Mrs. W. H.: Wax does not collect in a healthy skin. The only thing that is safe to follow in order to remove the wax from the ear is to gently douche the ear with warm water. If this does not suffice, a physician must be consulted.

Constant Reader: Rub melted vaseline into the lashes. This will increase their growth and make them darker. Be sure you don't get it into the eyes. Send me a stamped, addressed envelope, and I shall send you formula for the French tonic for eyebrows.

Dr. Brady's Health Talk

The Weather a Factor of Health.

Years ago it was discovered that outdoor life in cold weather was a healthy measure for pulmonary tuberculosis. At present outdoor life is the standard treatment for the disease. Everything else is secondary to the open air.

Later, perhaps by analogy, some one found that the course of that next most widespread disease, pneumonia, was distinctly modified in the patient's favor, open-air treatment even in the coldest weather of the temperate zone. In the frigid zone pneumonia is exceedingly rare; in some Polar places it is an unknown disease. Pneumonia is really a disease of the tropics—the crowded barracks at Panama or the close huddled shacks of the Rand. Overcrowding and inadequate ventilation are the two chief predisposing factors of pneumonia.

It Is Not Fresh Air Alone.

The investigation of this salutary influence of open-air life is not yet complete. There is something in open-air which is health-giving and tonic, outside of the mere purity of the air. Nowadays most homes are fairly well ventilated. Analyses of the air in living rooms under ordinary conditions give little or no evidence that it is not as pure as the outside air in the same region. But the mysterious strengthening effect of just plain weather is acknowledged by all.

Children, even the youngest babies, thrive in cold winter air, as many happy mothers have learned by personal experience.

The more time a child spends in the open air the greater is the child's resistance to all mucous membrane infections, not only catarrhal infections of the respiratory tract, but intestinal troubles as well. Of course, the child must be comfortably clothed, not overdressed, but simply warmly enough to enjoy the air. And if there is much wind the child should be placed in the lee of some barrier, because a strong wind annoys and irritates. If the barrier is a warm blanket the child is properly dressed. If it is extremely cold a hot water bottle

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Weather Phobia Is Absurd.

Idle speculations indulged in by those who harbor an insular fear of "exposure"—the thoughtless individuals who still imagine tuberculosis and pneumonia are due to "catching cold"—tend to make us think about getting out the weather. Our suspicions may be allayed by common sense; we may even concede that a remedy which cures pneumonia or tuberculosis ought to be of some value as a preventive of catarrhal infections. But on this subject our minds are like rubber—though convinced against our will, we hold the same opinion still.

Questions and Answers.

Loraine writes: Not for your benefit, but for my own, I wish you would reconcile two sets of opposing answers you have given various readers. First, in one article you said getting wet was caused by drinking water, and the same day you answered an inquiry and stated that drinking water is believed to be a cause of colds. Second, you said in one place that elastic stockings should be worn by persons with enlarged or varicose veins, and in another place you said it was better to avoid elastic stockings, as they would not help the condition.

Reply: If all patients were as keen as you—well, to explain: We stated that drinking water was as much to do with it as amber beads have to do with its removal. Then we answered a letter on the subject, stating that getting wet is believed to be caused by some residential factor, such as climate, drinking water, or character of food. The first statement was our opinion, based on scientific facts. The second statement is true—thousands of people, by drinking water in certain places, cause colds. As for the use of elastic stockings—they should be worn by persons who have chronic, incurable varicose veins, merely to assist in circulation. We did advise a young woman to avoid elastic stockings, because her veins were young and perhaps capable of regaining normal elasticity. Some criticism, however, emphasizes the error of one individual adopting any treatment which has been suggested for another individual.

Anxious writes: I am a girl seventeen. I have several moles and freckles and pimples on my face. What can I do? Would mercurized wax injure my skin?

Reply: Moles may be removed by electrolysis. Freckles are attractive. Leave them alone. Pimples and blackheads require medical treatment. Mercurized wax contains ammalated mercury, and is, therefore, dangerous for self-treatment.

DANCE AT BLACKSBURG.

V. P. I. German Club Gives Annual Thanksgiving "Affair."

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BLACKSBURG, VA., December 6.—The German club of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute gave its annual Thanksgiving dance on Friday night, with twenty-five couples taking part in the game. The affair was given at the German Club, 1000 Main Street, Blacksburg. The chaperons were Mrs. C. A. Newman, Mrs. C. E. Vawter, Mrs. W. H. Rasche, Mrs. John E. Williams, of the college; Mrs. Louis Kelly, of Salem; Mrs. Lillian Jones, of Washington, and Mrs. H. T. Hall, of Roanoke. Sandwiches and coffee were served in the ballroom at midnight and dancing ended at 2:30 o'clock. Some of the couples dancing were Miss Elanora Parrott, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and Bruce Williams; Miss Liz Otty Hoge, Blacksburg, and J. A. Gooden, of Lynchburg; Mrs. Washington, and R. F. Plank; Miss Evelyn Fishburne, Roanoke, and E. C. Rives; Miss Margarette Bushnell, Salem, and P. C. Harmon; Miss Louise Black, Blacksburg, and J. E. Rives; Miss Mary Miles, Marion, and T. P. Campbell, Jr.; Miss Helen Welborn, Blacksburg, and J. E. Rives; Miss Dorothy Day, Newark, N. J., and C. V. Wingfield; Miss Alice Barbour, Roanoke, and R. A. Rives; Miss Rebecca Yancy, Lynchburg, and J. R.

DuShane; Miss Christine Snyder, Roanoke, and W. R. Pogue; Miss Mary Dodd Fox, Roanoke, and G. G. Sutton; Miss Virginia Tompkins, New York, and E. B. Myrick; Miss Mary Mairton, Roanoke, and S. W. Davis; Mrs. M. T. Merriam, Washington, D. C., and J. G. Mackinn; Miss Esther Coulbourne, Roanoke, and R. B. Oliver; Miss Elmer Sulphur, Newark, N. J., and J. G. Sonner; Mrs. C. H. Crabb, Blacksburg, and Mr. Crabb; Mrs. C. P. Miles, Blacksburg, and Mr. Miles; Miss Augusta Turner, Roanoke, and Mack B. Barst; Stages: S. Heth, Jr., Cadets Bushnell, Jordan and Garth.

REV. J. WILBUR CHAPMAN PREACHES AT CULPEPER

Presbyterian Evangelist of International Fame Greeted by Tremendous Congregation.

CULPEPER, VA., December 6.—When Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman, D. D., the Presbyterian Church on Sunday night, national fame, preached in the Culpeper Presbyterian Church on Sunday night. He was heard by a congregation which completely filled the building, and many persons were prevented by lack of space from entering the church at all. A picked choir, in which were the best singers from all the churches in Culpeper, rendered a program of music, and ministers from all the other churches in Culpeper were in the congregation. Dr. Chapman is visiting his son, J. Wilbur Chapman, Jr., who is home near here.

Major John Fry, an aged ex-Confederate, died on Sunday at historic "Salubria," once the home of Lady Spotsylvania, near Stevensburg, this county. He is survived by one daughter, Miss Nannie Fry, and his sister, Mrs. John Cooke Grayson. The funeral took place on Tuesday at the residence of the deceased, by Rev. George Hunt, of Stevensburg, and interment was in the "Salubria" burying-ground.

A deed was recorded in the Culpeper clerk's office this week of the sale of a lot on Davis Street, Culpeper, from E. S. Perry, commissioner, to J. T. Ray for the sum of \$5,505. This lot is of interest as being the one on which the post-office is built, and subject to a ground rent of ninety-nine years. It is part of the estate of the late William Norris, which was willed to Dr. W. H. Phillips' Episcopal Church here, and was so long in litigation.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Lusader, formerly of Michigan, who have been living in Culpeper for the past three years, recently sold their small fruit farm and bungalow on the Brandy Road and are going to the Eastern Shore of Maryland to locate.

Miss Georgie Mildred Newhouse, the youngest daughter of Colonel and Mrs. S. M. Newhouse, was married to Reid M. Pierce, of Lynchburg, on Sunday evening at the home of her parents. The ceremony, which was witnessed by members of the family and a few intimate friends, was performed by Rev. R. P. Lumpkin, M. A., and the bride and groom are making their home in Staunton.

All of the churches here are already planning the Christmas entertainments to be given to the children of their respective Sunday schools and rehearsing the program for the occasion. At the Presbyterian Church the Christmas and Christmas festivities will take place on Christmas Eve at the Methodist Church on the following night. The Baptist and Episcopal Churches are also going to celebrate the holidays some time during Christmas week, but the Episcopal Church is the only one in which services will be held on Christmas Day.

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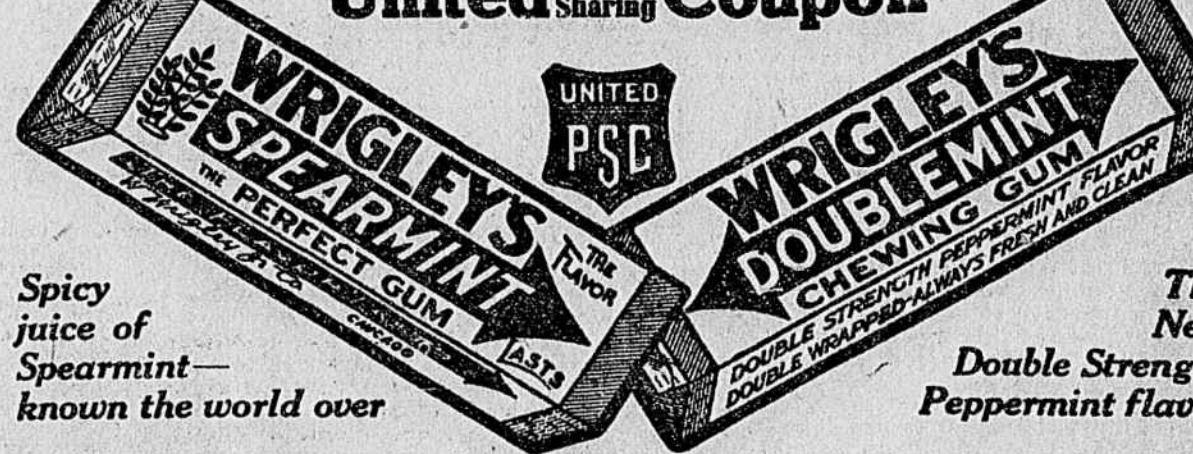


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